

SUPERIOR COURT

Trial Activity Fiscal Year 2007 - Civil Trials						
	Number of Jury Trials	Number of Non-Jury Trials	Number of Special Jury Trials	Total Number of Trials	Trial Time*	Average Trial Time
New Castle County	89	18	0	107	353 days	3.30 days
Kent County	12	0	0	12	49 days	4.08 days
Sussex County	11	17	0	28	43.5 days	1.55 days
State	112	35	0	147	445.5 days	3.03 days

Calendar Activity Fiscal Year 2007 - Civil Cases										
	Cases Tried		Cases Settled or Dismissed		Cases Continued for Settlement		Cases Continued Due to Lack of Judge		Cases Continued at Request of Attorney	Total Cases Scheduled
New Castle County	107	10.2%	706	67.0%	41	3.9%	5	0.5%	195	18.5%
Kent County	12	3.8%	190	60.1%	15	4.7%	6	1.9%	93	29.4%
Sussex County	28	9.5%	203	68.6%	0	0.0%	1	0.3%	64	21.6%
State	147	8.8%	1099	66.0%	56	3.4%	12	0.7%	352	21.1%

Performance Summary Fiscal Year 2007 - Civil Cases							
COMPLAINTS		MECHANIC'S LIENS AND MORTGAGES				APPEALS	
	Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Average Time from Filing to Disposition
New Castle County	4,681	1576.2 days		1,744	160.8 days		266.6 days
Kent County	580	398.0 days		347	164.5 days		255.7 days
Sussex County	397	328.9 days		472	134.9 days		240.7 days
State	5,658	1367.9 days		2,563	156.5 days		259.8 days
INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENTS		MISCELLANEOUS				TOTAL	
	Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Average Time From Filing to Disposition
New Castle County	1,049	96.1 days		2,053	55.1 days		819.4 days
Kent County	94	233.7 days		292	84.6 days		254.9 days
Sussex County	4	2,244.8 days		395	54.6 days		178.8 days
State	1,147	114.9 days		2,740	58.2 days		689.3 days

* Trial time is the total time spent in all trials

Source: Prothonotary's Offices, Superior Court; Administrative Office of the Courts